

IFW

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on February 22, 2005.

Signature

Confirmation No. 2547

Applicant : Dong Tack Suh
Application No. : 10/812,342
Filed : March 29, 2004
Title : PULL PIN ASSEMBLY FOR CANOPY

Grp./Div. : 3637
Examiner : To be assigned

Docket No. : 51278/DBP/C1015

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT AND
CERTIFICATION UNDER § 1.97(e)(1)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Post Office Box 7068
Pasadena, CA 91109-7068
February 22, 2005

Commissioner:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, and in accordance with the provisions in the Manual of Patent Examining Procedure §§ 609 and 707.05(b), enclosed is FORM PTO/SB/08A/B with a listing of references that are known to applicant. Copies of each of the foreign listed references and other documents are enclosed.

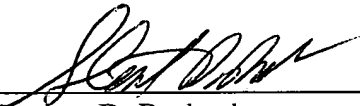
It is respectfully requested that these references be considered in the examination of this application and identified on the list of references cited on the patent issuing on this application. Applicant also requests that an initialed copy of said FORM PTO/SB/08A/B be entered in the application file and returned to applicant with the next communication from the Office in accordance with MPEP § 609.

Applicant's undersigned attorney hereby certifies, in accordance 37 CFR § 1.97(e)(1), that each item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of the information disclosure statement.

Application No. 10/812,342

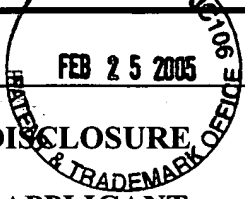
Respectfully submitted,

CHRISTIE, PARKER & HALE, LLP

By 
Stephen D. Burbach
Reg. No. 40,285
626/795-9900

SDB/dlf

Enclosures: PTO/SB/08A/B w/references
DLF PAS609542.1-*02/22/05 2:24 PM

FORM PTO/SB/08A/B (10-01) Substitute for PTO-1449A/B				Attorney Docket Number	51278/SDB/C1015
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (use as many sheets as necessary)		Application Number		10/812,342	
		Filing Date		March 29, 2004	
		Applicant(s)		Dong Tack Suh	
		Group Art Unit		3637	
		Examiner Name		To be assigned	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS				
EXAMINER INITIALS	Cite No. ¹	DOCUMENT NUMBER Number - Kind Code ² (If Known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee
		4,165,854	08-28-1979	Duly

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS					
EXAMINER INITIALS	Cite No. ¹	FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT Country Code ³ - Number ⁴ - Kind Code ⁵ (If Known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	T ⁶ (✓)
		DE 3841254 A1	06-13-1990	Marker	Abstract
		DE 3604497 A1	08-27-1987	Konig	Abstract

OTHER DOCUMENTS		
EXAMINER INITIALS	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article, title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.
		Combined Search and Examination Report under Section 17 and 18(3) for Application No. GB0424247.5, January 17, 2005, The Patent Office, South Wales

FRS PAS609460.1-*02/19/05 3:33 PM

EXAMINER SIGNATURE		DATE CONSIDERED	
EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.pto.gov or MPEP 901.4. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English Language Translation is attached.			